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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) David J. Joy.

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(2) Louis J. DelJuidice.

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Date of Interview: 24 March 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-7.

Identification of prior art discussed: n/a.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: In speaking to Mr. Louis J. DelJuidice, Examiner was told that Applicant's Representative did not file any response to the final rejection, that mailed on 23 September 2008, in the instant application. No further details as to the nature of the course of action taken were made available to Examiner.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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